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Docket No.

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CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.10

I hereby certify that this New Application Transmittal and the documents referred to as enclosed therein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date August 29, 2001 in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mailing Label No. EL662087414US to Box Patent Application, Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL
UNDER 37 CFR §1.53(b) or 37 CFR §1.153

**BOX PATENT APPLICATION
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231**

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 CFR §1.53(b) or 37 CFR §1.153 is the patent application of:

Inventor(s):	David W. Minsek Eric L. Alemy
For:	EPOXY PHOTORESIST COMPOSITION WITH IMPROVED CRACKING RESISTANCE

1. Type of Application:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original | <input type="checkbox"/> Design | <input type="checkbox"/> Continuation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Divisional | <input type="checkbox"/> Continuation-In-Part | |

2. Benefit of Prior Foreign Application(s) (35 U.S.C. §119)

- The new application being transmitted herein claims the benefit of:
- prior Foreign Application Serial No. [insert foreign serial number], filed on [insert DATE] in [insert COUNTRY OF ORIGIN]; or
 - PCT International Application designating at least one country other than the United States with the Serial No. [insert PCT SERIAL NUMBER], filed on [insert DATE].

A certified copy is enclosed or on file in the prior application.

3. Benefit of Prior U.S. Application(s) (35 U.S.C. §120)

- The new application being transmitted herein claims the benefit of prior copending U.S. application(s), U.S. Serial No.: 60/232,743, filed on September 15, 2000.

4. Papers Enclosed Which are Required for Filing Under 37 CFR §1.53(b) or 37 CFR §1.153

14 page(s) of Specification

1 page(s) of Claims, having 4 total claims, including 1 independent claims and 3 dependent claims.

1 page(s) of Abstract

0 sheets of formal informal Drawings

5. Additional Papers Enclosed

- Return Receipt Postcard
- Preliminary Amendment
- Information Disclosure Statement
- Form PTO-1449
- Copies of Cited Art
- Other: [insert TITLE OF ADDITIONAL PAPERS]

6. Inventor's Declaration/Power of Attorney

An Inventor's Declaration/Power of Attorney is enclosed or not enclosed, and is signed or not signed.

7. Assignment

- Enclosed is a recordation form and an assignment of the invention to MicroChem Corp., a corporation of the State of Massachusetts.

8. Small Entity Status

- Applicant claims Small Entity Status.

9. Fee Calculation (37 CFR §1.16)

CLAIMS AS FILED				
NUMBER FILED		NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	BASIC FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	4	-20	\$ 18.00	\$710.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	1	-3	\$ 80.00	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS, if any			\$270.00	
TOTAL				\$710.00
REDUCTION FOR SMALL ENTITY BY 50%				\$ 355.00
TOTAL FILING FEE				\$355.00

10. Method of Payment of Fees

- Check in the amount of [insert CHECK AMOUNT].
- Charge Account No. 23-1665 in the amount of \$355.00

11. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required under 37 CFR §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.18, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 23-1665.

12. Correspondence

Please address all correspondence to Customer Number:



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PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

Date: August 29, 2001

Respectfully Submitted,
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Assignee: MicroChem Corp.

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Title: EPOXY PHOTORESIST COMPOSITION WITH IMPROVED
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NON-PUBLICATION REQUEST
UNDER 35 USC 122(b)(2)(B)(i)

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Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

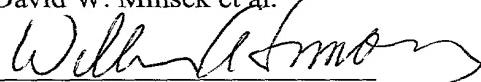
I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application **has not and will not be** the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

I HEREBY REQUEST THAT THE ATTACHED APPLICATION NOT BE PUBLISHED
UNDER 35 U.S.C. 112(b).

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